



# THE SCRIBE

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## TKE SPONSORS KUWAIT AWARENESS DAY

by Matthew Steiger

On Wednesday, November 28 many students, faculty, and administrators came together to learn more about Kuwait and the Middle East Crisis. TKE sponsored the well attended event that included a video smuggled out of Kuwait, Free Kuwait t-shirts, many pamphlets covering the invasion, and guest speakers. Most of the local media covered the event. Dr. Justus M. van der Kroef, Dana Professor of Political Science and Chairman of the Department of Political Science and Sociology, welcomed all those in attendance and outlined the program. The video showed Kuwait as the beautiful and stable democratic society that existed prior to the invasion and the present destruction and rape of the country that has occurred since the invasion began in August. Many buildings were either damaged or completely destroyed and anything of value has been taken back to Iraq. Over one

third of the nation has fled into exile. The Kuwaitis have been operating an effective resistance that has hampered the Iraqi military and killed many Iraqi troops. Those Kuwaitis that did speak on the video had their identities concealed because they fear that the Iraqis will harm their loved ones that still remain in Kuwait. They told of unspeakable horrors that have been committed by the Iraqi troops against the innocent people of Kuwait.

Dr. Al - Harun, the first speaker, spoke of the long history of the state of Kuwait and its peaceful coexistence with its neighbors. He emphasized the fact that Kuwait was never a part of Iraq, regardless of Saddam Hussein's decrees that it once was an Iraqi province. He stated that Kuwait gave to Iraq \$15 billion following the Iran - Iraq war and that Kuwait tried to mediate during the war. In 1988, Iraq had a \$70 billion debt and political unrest, this, Dr. Al - Harun believes, is

the basis for the invasion.

Dr. Asad Aziz, Ph.D. Yale University, believes that Saddam Hussein is counting on the support of the Arab masses, especially from Jordan, Syria, and the Palestinians. He warned that we should not underestimate the psychological power of Saddam Hussein and that he would use the negative identity attributed to the Arab world as a weapon.

Mr Martin Brouce, program secretary, American Friends Service Committee, Connecticut Program, and Mr. Jeff Howard, a veteran of the United States Marine Corps, debated the issue of war and the United States role in such a war.

The event was really quite informative, and at times very shocking. Many people were not aware of what has occurred in Kuwait and what continues to occur in Kuwait, the death and destruction by a man some compare to a modern day Hitler. Is this a crisis over oil and can it turn into a deadly

long war or is it about the complete destruction of a sovereign nation and its people?

The following are excerpts from the Voice of Kuwait, a newsletter published in cooperation with National Union of Kuwait Students USA, that was available at Kuwait Awareness Day. These tales of horror are a testimony that Saddam Hussein has no respect for human life.

-21 Kuwaiti professors were executed because they refused to resume teaching at Kuwait University.

-Torture in Kuwait by the Iraqi regime includes: rape, electric shocks, prolonged beating to sensitive parts of the body, breaking of limbs, extraction of finger and toe nails, psychological threats of sexual assault or execution, cutting of various body parts, torching by lit cigarettes, etc.

-Iraqis gave wrong directions in the desert to fleeing people. Many of them perished because of that.

-Iraqis prevented any car

or any person from picking up bodies off the streets.

-Once, they attacked a supermarket, evacuated the people to the street, and killed all men in front of the women. The method of killing them was to prolong their suffering.

-One Iraqi soldier at the border said that he was given orders to kill all male infants.

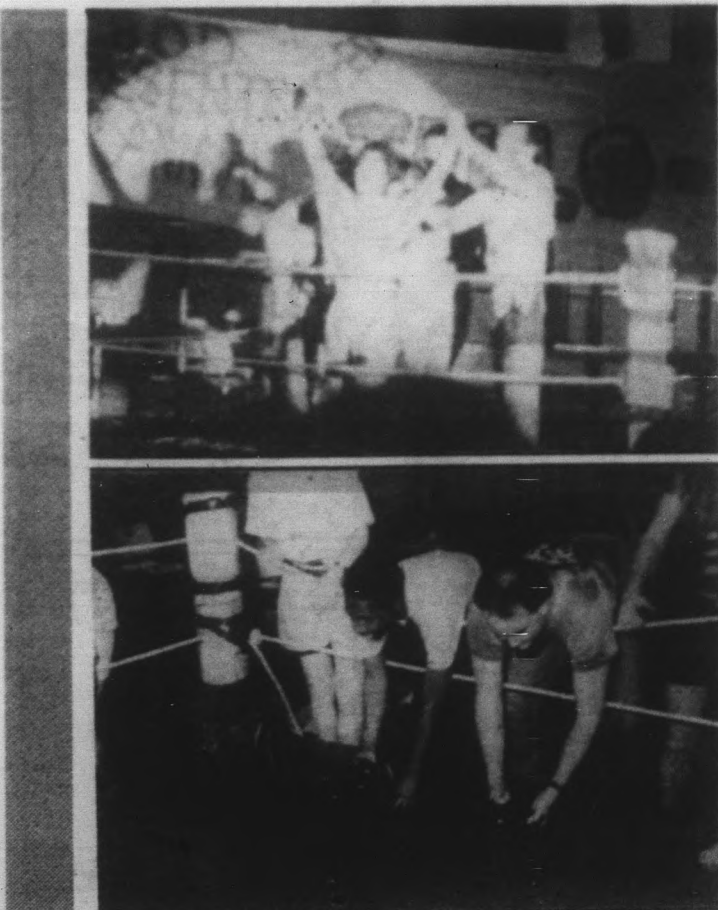
-Iraqi soldiers are taking young Kuwaiti girls, ages 13, 14, and 15 and raping them.

-Whole families are executed if foreigners are caught in their houses.

-Two young boys were suspected in the resistance. They were forced down on their knees and the Iraqi forced open their eyes and put lit cigarettes in them. After that they were shot dead.

These are just some of the terrible atrocities being committed by Iraqi soldiers inside of occupied Kuwait.

## 1st Annual Jello-Wrestling a success



### Staff Reporter

On Saturday December 8th the Student Center Board of Directors (SCBOD) brought all of the fractions of the University together in the same room (ring) for an all out fight. For those who missed the event the best way to describe it is the ingredients list: Eleven vicious students, two faculty members, two administrators, one wife & 200 gallons of lime green jello. Mix well & time with one bribable referee. The result is a tasty example of the creative programming that the UB community can expect from the all new SCBOD Knight Life committee.

The first annual Jello wrestling contest featured the following wrestlers: Johanna "Boom Boom" Bailey, Rachel "The Riz" Golden, Erik "White Lightning" Lukacs, Jeff "The

Rocker" Erdmann, Mindy "Mogwai" Karfeld, Michele "Gizmo" Colon, Gus "Goose" Turclous, Chuck "The Chuckster" Johnson, Jessica "Battle Axe" Pasternak, Robert "Head Hunter" Bemis, Rachel "Big Bad Mama" Levy, Professor Bonnie Simon, Dr. George Blake, Dean Dan "Dapper Dan" Stracka, Barbara "Lady Stracka", & Gina Timphony

The night consisted of several coed tag team matches, an all women's battle royale, student challenges to faculty and administration, and one husband & wife exhibition match. There was also an un-scheduled event when three spectators from the front row rushed the ring. For some reason though the referee, whose shirt read "Yes I take bribes", didn't call the match.

Jello wrestling & the

December 1st Psychedelic 60's night were the brain storm of one of SCBOD's brightest new comers. Mindy Karfeld, a freshman, has excelled in less than three months to the position of Knight Life Committee Co-Chair. She was the coordinator and the foresight behind both events



## Letters to the Editor

## SETTING AN EXAMPLE

Dear Editor:

Saturday morning brunch at Marina gave host to the Husson College men's basketball team. When the players were done eating they all bused their trays. They had enough pride and respect for themselves and the University of Bridgeport to take the time to bus their trays. It is a shame that many of the students here don't have the pride or respect in themselves or the University to do something as effortless as busing their trays. If you choose not to take pride in the University take pride in that you can clean up after yourself. After all, it isn't that hard for each of us to bus our trays.

Sincerely,

The Food and Dining Committee

Dear Food and Dining Committee:

I found your letter quite direct and to the point. It is my belief that if students don't want to use the trays then we

should not have trays. After all if that little plastic tray is so hard to pick up let's take this huge burden off of your shoulders. I'm sure you would hear complaints as these same lazy students now have to make two trips in order to get their entire meal.

Another thing comes to mind, students at UB are constantly complaining about how expensive it is here and how it shouldn't be so expensive. Do these same students realize that it costs over approximately \$1,500 a week to pay the people to bus those trays. Now if you figure that out over an academic year we are talking about a lot of money that could be used for better things in the Dining Hall. I guess some people will never learn.

Moreover, this blatant lack of respect is evident all over this campus. Granted the buildings do need a lot of repairs and the housekeeping is really poor, but if students would begin to appreciate this campus a bit more and stop destroying the inside of the dormitories, defacing the desks, and ruining the furniture maybe and this is a big maybe some pride for this institution can return and those of us who do respect this as our home away from home wouldn't have to put up with all of the shit that we do.

Sincerely,

Matthew Steiger, Managing Editor

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## Weekly Crossword

"FOOTBALL FEVER"

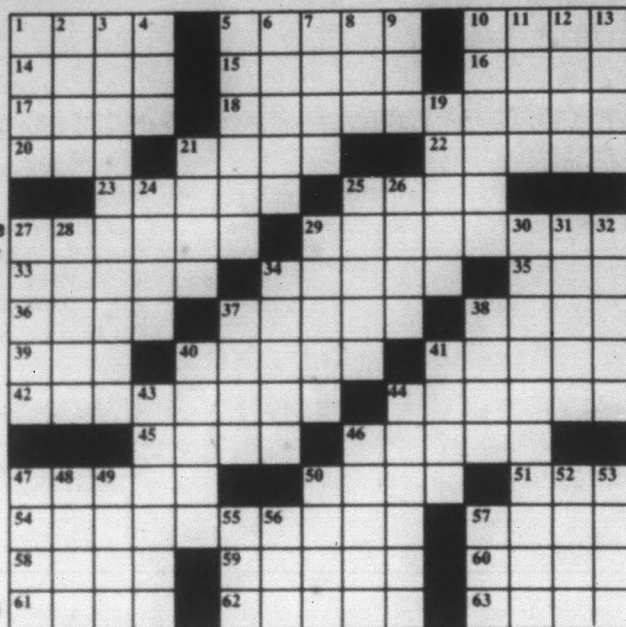
By Gerry Frey

## ACROSS

- 1 Word with quarter or half
- 5 Lawrence Taylor, eg
- 10 Narrow opening
- 14 "The sheep \_\_\_\_ the meadow"
- 15 Year in Paris
- 16 New Zealand timber tree
- 17 Forty days before Easter
- 18 Tampa Bay \_\_\_\_
- 20 Resinous substance
- 21 Fail to win
- 22 Sea eagles
- 23 River in France
- 25 River in Germany
- 27 Stephen Vincent & family
- 29 Phoenix football player
- 33 Attacked: 2 wds
- 34 Roman garbs
- 35 \_\_\_\_ mentary: fundamental
- 36 Type style: Abbreviation
- 37 Add up the score
- 38 Guzzle
- 39 Word with profit
- 40 Famous Osmond
- 41 Buyer, eg
- 42 Football field
- 44 Japanese robe
- 45 Coup d' \_\_\_\_
- 46 Croc relative: variation
- 47 Area between
- 50 Lease
- 51 Russian CIA
- 54 \_\_\_\_ Saints
- 57 Slightly open
- 58 Pub habitant?
- 59 Pacific Island group
- 60 Goddess of Death
- 61 Sneaker sox
- 62 Bears
- 63 Proof reader's word

## DOWN

- 1 Jim Kelly, eg
- 2 On a cruise
- 3 \_\_\_\_ Bengals
- 4 Chess pc
- 5 Zsa Zsa and Eva
- 6 Not available: 2 wds



- 7 Noun suffix
- 8 Neck in Paris
- 9 Earl Gray, eg
- 10 Ms. North
- 11 Legal claim
- 12 In regard to
- 13 Throw lightly
- 19 Necessities
- 21 Latvian
- 24 Large sea mammal
- 25 Randall Cunningham, eg
- 26 Neither black nor white
- 27 To command a specified price
- 28 Dining hall denizen
- 29 Man's name
- 30 Meadowlands' s player
- 31 Foreigner
- 32 Al \_\_\_\_: Rapid tempo
- 34 Fortune telling card
- 37 Scarlet's house
- 38 Like
- 40 Bishop's hat
- 41 \_\_\_\_ Panthers
- 43 Room designs
- 44 \_\_\_\_ City Chiefs
- 46 Columbus' town
- 47 Center the ball
- 48 Soccer great
- 49 Filled with wonder
- 50 Los Angeles \_\_\_\_
- 52 Bad storm
- 53 Your neighbor's child
- 55 La. football power
- 56 Hearing aid
- 57 Words of contentment

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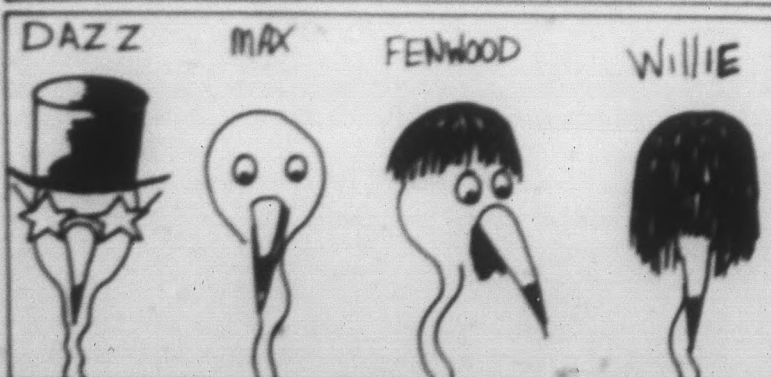
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IN OUR LAST EPISODE THE FLAMINGO'S, STRESSED OUT BY THE FAST PACE ROCK N' ROLL LIFE, WERE LOOKING FOR A PLACE TO GET AWAY, A FAR, FAR AWAY PLACE, WHERE THE FOOD IS EXOTIC, THE NATIVES ARE FRIENDLY, AND THE LOCAL ACTION GREAT! ... THEY CHOSE U.B.

THE SCREAMING  
PINK  
FLAMINGOS

written and created by  
H. Queen among

12/90



HEAR THEM SCREAM  
AAAGCHH



THEY ARE UNCULTURED, RUDE, AND OBSCENE AND THEY'RE  
COMING  
to U.B.





## News

Lights Out  
Black Out

by Ben Estefani

The west end of the University of Bridgeport lost electricity early Sunday morning. Power was lost at approximately 4:45 AM and all the dorms had either little or no power.

According to safety the problem was due to an underground cable disruption. Safety also stated, over the phone, that the United Luminating and Eastern Electric companies were working on the problem. Reports on how long it lasted that morning was about five to six hours. But no official reports on what was the cause of the power disruption early Sunday morning. The only report was that the whole west end of campus had absolutely either little or no power.

Students on campus had no power, that means that the computers were down, radios were down, and just anything running on electric power was just not working. For most of the students, that was just what we all expected to happen, really what else can happen at UB.

Although we were kept in the dark, what was working, that morning was the water and the heaters which both runs on oil (as far as reported). The library and the Student Center was still functionally since both were on the east side of campus. The area effected, was according to more reports, everything between University Ave. and Park Ave.

Residence on the UB campus still had lots of fun with the short black out. Some just did what they could to cope with the problem. Hall Directors and RAs had to stay up at night to make sure everything was checked out and also made sure that no resident lit candles, because if a fire broke out the main alarm system will not work, only the smoke detectors. At least no one can't say that nothing ever happens on campus. Like one freshman said, "This is something I'll never forget!!!" For the rest of us this is just a typical UB semester. So enjoy it while it last.

Federal Gas Tax Sends  
Prices Up, According to  
AAA

December 3, 1990 — Average gas prices in New Haven, Fairfield and Litchfield counties increased in response to the December 1 Federal gas tax hike of 5 cents per gallon. Surveyed stations include rural, suburban, urban and interstate locations. The following prices were recorded by the Connecticut Motor Club staff:

	Self-Serve	Full-Serve
Unleaded Regular	\$1.51 (up 3 cents)	\$1.60 (up 5 cents)
Mid-grade	\$1.58 (up 2 cents)	\$1.66 (up 4 cents)

Premium \$1.69 (up 1 cent) \$1.82 (up 6 cents)

The Connecticut Motor Club is an affiliate of the nearly 32-million American Automobile Association. The club provides over 280,000 members in New Haven, Fairfield and Litchfield counties with auto, travel and personal services. Over 1,000 AAA offices serve members throughout the United States and Canada. AAA is the largest and oldest motoring organization in the world.



## Student Council Corner

November 7, 1990 meeting

- 1) Please contact Suzanne Clark, Senior Class President, with any suggestions for a graduation speaker. Suggestions can be dropped in her mailbox at the information desk in the Student Center
- 2) The Junior Class is raising money for battered women and children. If you are interested in helping please contact Lisa Leid, Junior Class President.
- 3) The College of Health and Human Services is looking for a Co-Senator. If interested please contact Jhynell Bethea Senator of CHHS or Spirit Goliathe Student Council President.
- 4) SCBOD is planning the annual beach party. Anyone interested please attend the next SCBOD meeting Mon. at 9pm.
- 5) RHA Seeley Dorm elections were reheld on 11/6/90 Bill Hester in the President and Paul Spirito is the Vice-President. Schine Dorm Government is re-doing Issacs Place. RHA is making every effort to improve housekeeping and maintenance of the dorms. Please contact RHA President Rob Norbeck if you have any complaints or suggestions. RHA has still not received an office at the Student Center after two months.
- 6) IFSC has revised its rules for membership.

## Motions:

- 1) Student Council will allocate the Korean Students Club \$1,300 for the Korean Festival.
- 2) Student Council will reimburse the Chinese Students the amount they requested \$289.15 minus the cost for food and transportation.
- 3) Student Council will look into re-organizing the mailboxes in the student Center.
- 4) A key to the computer room will be given to Public Safety in order to provide convenient access to students.
- 5) Marilyn Gordon will be given one week to settle the conflict with the offices. After this SCBOG will be asked to do so.

## November 14, 1990 Meeting

- 1) Freshman Class will be sending Holiday Jingles From 12/3 to 12/12 and distributed on 12/14.
- 2) SCBOD is planning a concert for next semester any suggestions can be dropped in the SCBOD mailbox at the Student Center.
- 3) It was decided that a letter inviting President Gordon to attend Council meetings once a month should be sent.

## Motions:

- 1) Student Council will allocate \$32.04 to the Freshman Class for Holiday Jingles.
- 2) Student Council will allocate \$338.00 to the Junior Class for Pub Night.
- 3) Student Council will allocate \$875.00 to IFSC for the Greek Leadership Conference.
- 4) Student Council will write Marilyn Gordon a letter mandating that she give RHA a temporary office until SCBOG reconvenes on 12/7/90
- 5) Student Council will write a letter requesting that shuttle transportation be given to students to the train station for major breaks.

## November 28, 1990 Meeting

## Motions

- 1) Student Council will allocate the Spirit Committee \$1,2276.80 for the purchase of spirit tee-shirts.
- 2) Student Council will allocate BSA \$2,000 for their play King of Kings.
- 3) Student Council will prepare a calendar of meeting dates for next semester.
- 4) Anne Mickel will be Student Council's Co-Advisor.
- 5) Rich Evans is the new CBPM Senator.



## RHA News

The Executive Board would like to thank all dorms for participating in the annual Thanksgiving food drive. The goods were given to the Fairfield County Food Bank and will be distributed to shelters and other social services that are in need. A reminder to all dorms that a Holiday Food Drive will take place between Dec. 3 and 18th. All residents are encouraged to participate and give generously.

The Executive Board would like to thank all dorms for participating in this year's Banner Contest. Congratulations to: Challenge

Hall for coming in 1st and Seeley 2nd place. The Executive Board and Council would like to extend a special thank you to Schine Hall for their overwhelming participation and enthusiasm.

RHA has made the local news. That's right Robert Norbeck, RHA President, will be in the Dec. 13th issue of the Bridgeport Post. The Post wrote a short feature on the Holiday Food Drive. That's right the Post is writing a good story about UB and our students but don't forget you read it here, in the Scribe, first.



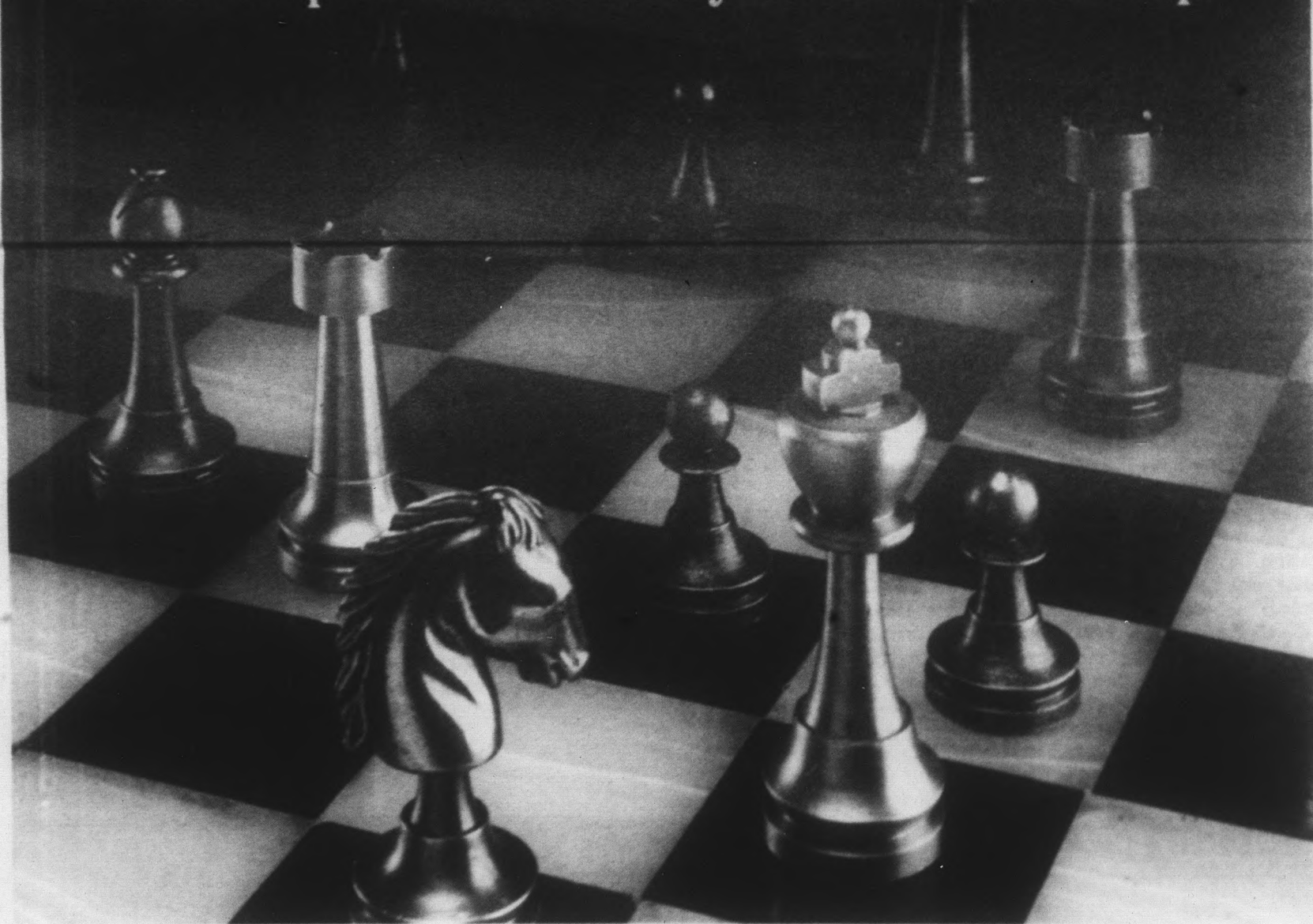
## News

**WANTED: JUNIORS  
HELP OUT WITH A COMMUNITY PROJECT  
BATTERED WOMEN AND THEIR CHILDREN  
LET'S GIVE THEM A X-MAS THEY WON'T FORGET  
THANK YOU!!!  
JUNIOR CLASS PRESIDENT  
X.2844**

**Make your next career move a winner**

**Are you eligible for a**

**Leadership Award of a two-year MBA Fellowship?**



**Qualifications** Outstanding minority men and women committed to careers in business management are encouraged to apply for these MBA Fellowships. Those interested in Marketing, Operations and Accounting are especially encouraged to apply.

Demonstrated leadership ability is the primary selection criterion. Prior study in business is helpful but not required. Candidates must be U.S. Citizens and qualified minorities (African-Americans, Asian-Americans, American Indians, Hispanic-Americans). Candidates must also be eligible for financial assistance at the schools to which they apply.

**What the fellowship includes** The Johnson & Johnson Leadership Awards provide tuition, room and board and books for two years of graduate business education at any of six participating universities. Summer employment with Johnson & Johnson after the first year is required.

**How you can apply** Johnson & Johnson Leadership Award applications can be obtained from the admission offices of the participating business schools. It is necessary to submit a completed Leadership Award application and financial aid information to each participating school when applying for admission. Completed applications must be received by January 31, 1991.

**Participating Schools:**

- Clark Atlanta University
- Columbia University
- Harvard University
- Northwestern University
- University of Chicago
- University of Pennsylvania



## News

## A Women's Center

Room 203 in the Student Center has been designated as the Women's Center. It is hoped that the University of Bridgeport Women's Center will create an environment where female students and staff will have the opportunity to network, find resources and discover career opportunities. The Center will also provide the opportunity to share common concerns, become conscience of women's issues, relax and make friends! The Multicultural Relations Office and the University of Bridgeport Women's Forum

members will be assisting in the physical development of the Center, and with the initial coordination of programs.

However, this center needs the leadership and support of the, female students at UB. Lets work together to make this Center an important resource at UB!! For further information, contact Janet Shepro, Director of Multicultural Relations at x4395 or Kathy Kemper Chairperson, Student Center Board of Governors, x4486. Thanks and we look forward to hearing from you!

## The Southwestern Company - Building Character in Young People Since 1868

An advertisement in a Nashville, Tennessee, newspaper dated September 15, 1855, is the earliest known record of The Southwestern Company. Southwestern at that time called, The Southwestern Publishing House, by way of that ad offered Bibles and various religious books for sale.

The company became prominent in 1861 when Bibles played an important role in the lives of Civil War soldiers. The first Bibles printed in the South intended for confederate soldiers, were printed in Nashville by The Southwestern Company.

When in the spring of 1862 Federal troops occupied Nashville, the Southwestern operation moved to Memphis. During reconstruction in 1868, The Southwestern Company was born. The name "Southwestern" was probably derived from the association with what was, before admission of Texas to the Union, the southwestern part of the United States.

After the Civil War, many formerly wealthy southerners were unable to provide money for their son's college education. The Southwestern Company's summer program made work available to these young men who sold books door to door during their summer vacations. This began a program that has been in continuous operation for well over a century.

Southwestern's most dramatic growth has taken place during the last 25 years. In 1960, the company had one division and 755 students dealers, managed by only three sales managers. Today, Southwestern has several distinct product divisions, publishes over 25 titles, and has student dealers numbering in the thou-

sands.

Southwestern probably provides summer work for more college students than any other company in the nation. Each year thousands of America's brightest, most energetic students are invited to participate in Southwestern's summer program. Students are selected from over 500 colleges and universities and the Southwestern's program is tailor-made for college students.

An average student can make enough to finance all or most of their college education. Many students choose to pay their own way through college. Southwestern students gain the kind of training that gives them an edge upon graduation. Their resumes show results...that's why major companies like 3M, Johnson & Johnson, McGraw Hill, and dozens of others select many of our graduates through the Southwestern Professional Service Division.

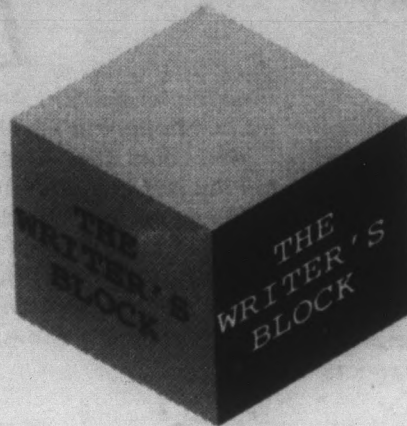
Students selected have an opportunity to see a different area of the country. It's exciting and shows interviewers they are mature enough to handle relocation. Student have an opportunity to stand on their own two feet and run their own business...they gain self-confidence by meeting and dealing with thousands of people from all walks of life.

The purpose of the Southwestern company is to "Learn to sell yourself and your ideas" because life is all about selling something. The Southwestern Company, Building Character in Young People Since 1868!

Written By Jose L. Velez

Student Dealer Summer of 1990

Student Manager for the UB Division



### Complications

Why are things so complicated?  
Everything seems to be.  
Whenever I try to work something out  
The more confused it leaves me.  
I try to tell myself.  
There must be a simpler way  
I always dig deeper hole  
The more frustrated I become.  
I wish the saga would end.  
I will not be forever young.  
For some things to settle quickly  
A small wish may I ask  
To for once avoid complications  
In even the tiniest little tasks

Carole Knoblauch

### Wondering Where You Are!

by Ben Estefani  
It's late at night,  
Really slow  
I thought of you,  
When the night gone long  
It's a wonder,  
how I lived,  
without young love.  
It's almost twelve,  
really late,  
I can't believe,  
how long I wait,  
I try calling,  
no one home.  
Did something happen,  
I Don't know.  
The time goes on  
and still no word  
I miss you more,  
as the years ahead  
Am I wrong to think  
this way  
It's so sad to know  
your away

Dear Shannon J.

### YOU ARE ONLY MINE

If the sky is yours,  
The wings are mine!  
If the smile is yours,  
The lips are mine!  
If the mind is yours,  
The thoughts are mine!  
If the looks are yours,  
The eyes are mine!  
If the heart is yours,  
The beats are mine!  
AND,  
If everything is yours,  
YOU are MINE!!!

An Admirer

### The Untaken Risk

I've watched you from a distance  
I've learned to see your heart  
You know me as a friend  
But I'd like something more  
I'd be afraid of what you'd think  
And all the others too  
I'd be afraid to get hurt  
Especially by you  
For now I will be  
The best friend I can be  
And hope one day what I see  
In you, you will see in me  
Valerie J. Hull

### Almanac Advisory

Remember to save on lasered leaf  
When Fall's cavorting cascade ends.

Though power parched, it stands you winter watch,  
and holds the steel of time that never bends.  
Remember to keep one laughing love

When Autumn's color current dries  
Her ray thin power yet chains your regret  
and holds the thought of Spring that never dies.

Justus M. van der Kroef

### Christmas 1990

A child's eyes open wide  
As upon Santa's knee she is placed  
To tell himself of her dreams and wishes  
The reason's you shown on her face  
Nearby carolers creak holiday sounds  
Shoppers bustle from store to store  
Bells chime from the chapel's tower Collections are  
taken for the poor.  
Lights create glistening icicles  
on a decorated tree in the square.  
As wreaths hang upon doorways  
A smell of pine is in the air  
Indoors a log fire crackles  
Nearby a tree glows with pride  
Friends and family gather together. As snow gently  
falls outside.  
may these sights and thoughts  
Bring you much holiday cheer  
I wish you a very Merry Christmas.  
And a very Happy New Year.

### An Explanation

I'm Sorry  
If my words hurt you.  
But somethings  
must be said.  
It's not fair of me  
To keep it to myself.  
You deserve to know  
What I think and feel.  
I owe you alot  
For listening to me.  
Hate me for now  
But as you'll see  
Overtime  
we'll both forget  
what was ever said  
Some things may not be the same.  
But other things may never change.  
Carole Knoblauch

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of for any occasion. Contact Jose L. Velez an Independent dealer for Spirit  
Plus a Division of The Southwestern Company at ext. 3233



## Arts

## THE CARLSON GALLERY presenting

### Images of Indonesia

Sixty photographs by Indonesian photographers capture the essence of Indonesia both old and new. This exhibition is on tour and was previously exhibited in the National Press Club in Washington D.C.

### THOMASZEWSKI INSPIRED BY NATURE

The sculpture of Lubomir Thomaszewski are created out of natural materials; wood and rock with added elements of hammered copper. He strives to represent all aspects of human nature with each of his sculptures.

Gallery Hours: Tuesday - Saturday, 11:00 - 5:00 pm  
Telephone (203) 576-4402

## THE UNIVERSITY OF BRIDGEPORT Campus Outreach League

Urges all students to get involved in community service. Homebase, an organization that provides tutoring, athletics and arts and crafts will be starting up next semester. Volunteers are also needed to coach children in special Olympics. Starting Tuesday, 22, 2:30 - 4:30 P.M.  
Call x.2066 or 4486 for more information or interest.

## Dear Starlett:

I hope you can help me because no one else can. This is my problem: I am a female and have dark hair and am considered good looking by most guys. The problem is that I am not attracted to any of them. I think I am a lesbian because I am strongly attracted to my roommate who has blonde hair. I have had sexual relations with men and to be honest, it just hasn't done anything for me. I don't know if I should approach my roommate about how I feel. She has a boyfriend, but she jokes about having relations with women. Because of this I do not know what to do. To any females reading this: if you think you are my roommate please tell me how you feel. Thanks Starlett.

CONFUSED!!!

Dear Confused:

Your problem is not a very uncommon one in today's society. Many young men and women continually explore their sexuality in order to determine what is best for him/her. Although you may not be attracted to the men you have been acquainted with, this doesn't necessarily mean that you are a lesbian. It could simply mean that these people didn't interest you. The fact that you have had sexual relations and gained nothing from it, could mean that you have not been involved in meaningful relationships. You could incidentally be turning to a woman's affection because you feel that she is the only one left. The point I am making is that you should explore your feelings and get more in touch with your self before you make a decision to approach your roommate. The way to do this is through counseling or by getting in touch with a support group. Your attraction to your roommate could be an attraction of admiration. We are naturally attracted to those we admire and care for. This doesn't necessarily mean that it is a physical attraction. This is why friendships are established. It is the attraction that causes one to want to be friendly with another. I really think that you may be making more out of this than it really is, but the only way to be sure would be to contact a counselor. If you are uncomfortable with the UB Counseling Center, you could call them and ask for a referral. In the mean time I do not advise that you approach your roommate, but ultimately you have to do what you feel is right for yourself. Please write again and let me know how this works out.

STARLETT

Starlett's Advice column is written by a student at the University of Bridgeport. If you have any comments or problems write to Starlett. She'll be happy to assist whenever she can. Just drop your letters, questions or concerns in the Scribe mailbox addressed to Starlett. All letters should be submitted no later than Saturday 10 p.m.

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## Sports

## UB Soccer 1990 National Quarter Finalist



The UB Men's Soccer team was eliminated from the NCAA Division II Tournament on November 17, with a heartbreaking loss to Southern Connecticut. While controlling the tempo of the game UB scored an own goal with 29 seconds left in the first overtime period to give Southern the lead for good.

UB soccer finished sixth on the final ISAA Division II National poll with a record of 17-4. The 17 wins shattered the previous school

mark of 14, while the 66 goals scored this season broke the old school record of 56.

The celebrated journey that led to this game was one that saw freshman sensation, Tal Benaya, an All-NECC nominee, shatter the goal and total point marks formerly held by three time ALL-American Mark Vanston. Benaya destroyed both records scoring 34 goals (Vanston's mark was 23) and 77 points (Vanston had 57). Joining Benaya in the record books is junior Sheldon Neal.

Neal, also an All-NECC member, broke the single season assist mark held by Hans Zucker, an ALL-American in 1959. Neal had 18 assists (Zucker's mark was 17), and has 36 for his career. This makes him third on the all-time UB assist list, just five behind Bill Mannings record.

Other bright spots saw goalkeeper Bill Fuchs prove himself as one of the top keepers in the country, especially with his end of season performances. Fuhs, also had a great supporting crew, led by All-NECC sweeper John Price, and underrated fullbacks Bob Napoli and John Lombardo.

Also, the midfield excelled through the work of co-captain Steve Stroud, freshman David Price, and sophomores Moshe Shemesh and Alvin Charley. Freshmen Jason Fraise and Neil Armstrong had solid inaugural season as well.

## THE BANKER'S CLASSIC

By Valerie Hull

## UB VS. CONCORDIA

The Purple Knights got off to a slow start on Friday's game against the Concordia Clippers. Within the first four minutes UB was down 4-13. The Knights came from behind to tie, 20-20, at the end of the first quarter. Winston Jones and Lambert Shell led the scoring while Steve Wills was the rebound leader. The Knights pulled ahead leaving the score 48-42 at half-time.

Second half the Knights came back in full force. A technical foul called on Concordia allowed Rob Maurer to bring UB two points closer to victory. The Knights played hard and gave themselves a comfortable lead; winning 110-95. Leading in total points were Lambert Shell (24), Winston Jones (17), and Pat Moris (15). Glenn Colello led in three point shots with two and Steve Wills led assists with five. In the past two weeks the team has become more unified, which should make future games a greater pleasure to watch.

## UB VS. HUSSON

The Purple Knights took control right from the start in Saturday's game against the Husson Braves. At half-time UB led 46-33. Lambert Shell was responsible for twenty points as well as leading in rebounds with

Steve Wills.

The team came back at half-time fighting strong. The Knights took an eighteen point lead over the Braves. Chris Tate and Ahia Molcho were brought into the game as the Knights continued to defend their lead. Scoring leaders were Lambert Shell (31), Pat Moris (17), and Steve Wills (13). Glen Colello was two for three with three-pointers. Derrick Russell led with ten assists while he and Rob Maurer played the point guard position offensively. UB went on to win 98-89.

At the end of the game the all-star team and M.V.P. were chosen. UB's all star player was Steve Wills, and Lambert Shell was named M.V.P.

The next home game for

the Knights is Friday Dec 7th at 7:30 Come and Support Your Team!

## SPECTATORS VS. FANS

The Bankers Classic was an overwhelming success for the University of Bridgeport Men's basketball team. The Knights were victorious in both games. There was a good spectator turnout to watch the games. And that is what happened, the majority of the people spectated - watched the game. Our team needs FANS to cheer them on, FANS who are there in spirit as well as in body. So please come support and scream for your team.

## Solution to "Football Fever"

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## Women's Gymnastics Team



by Ben Estefani

The University of Bridgeport Women's Gymnastics team is known as one of the best competitive gymnastics team in the nation. Their season began December 8th, 1990, and will last well into the second week of April.

Coach Loraine Duffy has ten healthy women on the team and they're looking to go all the way. The team has recruited 3 freshmen, Julie Brogolino, Kim Ridley, and Amy Baumann. Keeping the UB team with a strong team for the next three years. Note: UB Women's Gymnastics team went to the Nationals last year, Colorado Springs. And now are ranked 7th in the nations.

The Lady Knights Gymnastics team are traveling as far as the University of California at Santa Barbara, March 8th and 9th (about Spring Break time). And the closest away meet is Southern Connecticut State University, Saturday, March 2nd.

Below is the Team Lists and their schedule for this year.

## The Lady Knights Gymnastics Team

## Senior Captains

Jen Gaffney

Judy Kaplin

## Juniors:

Rena Danko

Julie Mathison

Susan Schorpp

## Sophomores:

Julie Leland

Lisa Warner

## Freshmen:

Julie Brogolino

Kim Ridley

Amy Baumann

## Special: Freshmen background:

Julie Brogolino - Top HS all-american from Danvers, Mass.  
Kim Ridley - A level 9 gymnast from Lockport Flips (New York)  
Amy Baumann - a high school student, Bound Brook, N.J.

## Saturday December 8th Results

**Vault:**  
Julie Brogolino 9.00 UB  
Sue Schorpp 8.85 UB  
Kim Holmes 8.80  
Courtland

**Bars:**  
Julie Leland 9.20 UB  
Julie Brogolino 9.15 UB  
Lisa Warner 8.95 UB

**Beam:**  
Kim Holmes 9.10  
Courtland  
Judy Kaplin 8.70 UB  
Lisa Warner 8.55 UB

**Floor Exercise:**  
Lisa Warner 9.20 UB  
Sue Schorpp 8.95 UB  
Kim Ridley 8.90 UB

**All-Around**  
Lisa Warner 35.3 UB  
Kim Holmes 35.2  
Courtland  
Karen Clyne 34.25  
Courtland

**Final Score: 174 UB**  
**Courtland 169.40**

**NEXT HOME MEET IS:**  
**JANUARY 12TH - 2PM**

University of Bridgeport Women's Gymnastics - 1991			
Date	Opponent	Place	Time
<b>December</b>			
8 Sat.	Cortland	Home	1:00 P.M.
<b>January</b>			
12 Sat.	Vermont/URI	Home	2:00 P.M.
19 Sat.	SCSU/Rutgers	Home	2:00 P.M.
26 Sat.	George Washington Inv.	Away	2:00 P.M.
<b>February</b>			
2 Sat.	Springfield College	Away	1:00 P.M.
9 Sat.			
13 Wed.	U/Mass/Yale at U/Mass, Amherst	Away	1:00 P.M.
23 Sat.	Brown	Home	1:00 P.M.
<b>March</b>			
2 Sat.	Southern CT State U.	Away	
8 & 9 Fri. and Sat.	U. CA at Santa Barbara	Away	
16 Sat.	Springfield/Southern	Away	2:00 P.M.
30 Sat.	ECAC's Springfield	Away	
<b>April</b>			
6 Sat.	NCAA Div. I Regionals		
	University of New Hampshire	Away	
11-13 Thurs. - Sat.	USGF Div. II Nationals	Away	
	U. of CA, Davis	Away	



## Personals

Wonder Women's Power Activate!

Form of: Boxer woman, jeans woman, I don't know woman, Gap woman, Anything woman, sweat woman, limited woman, and I never shower woman. -Always Skidz woman

Yoges-  
Well it's definitely been different  
-Cat

Impeach the Freshman Class President.

Steph-  
You Theta Epsilon wannabe.  
-Theif

Mary-  
Are you ready to be knocked out by an uppercut.  
-Theif

Raj-  
How's exit 21. What about that new pool cue.  
-Cat

Dave-  
You are the real "Stud Boy"  
-Stick Pin

Robert-  
Did anyone ever tell you plagiarism is illegal.  
-Amanda Bradley

Anna-  
Peaches, Peaches, Yummy, Yummy.  
-SM

Spirito-  
To the GREEN HORNET!  
-Cat

Dave-  
Thanks for the save, better you than me!  
-The wise

Ben-  
Decision, Decisions, Decisions only you can stop yourself.  
-Cat

Ed-  
Townshend Knows Bo.  
-Eric

W-  
You and I should make this a career for life.  
-The infamous letter assistant.

Geth-  
Its on me, Austin ST  
-Cat

Sheldon-  
Is soccer over yet?  
-An Admiring Fan

Redt-  
Please contact me to explore the situation. x3222. Seeley 306  
-S.M

Mike-  
Dump them all and find someone new.

Alexandria-  
To a night in Atlantic City with Mozart.  
-Cat

Jose-  
Instead of concentrating on other people, you should worry about yourself and your own messed up life. You're not exactly what I call a "perfect" RA

Keith-  
We will get you out before May 23  
-Cat

Jose-  
There will always be a next time, but then again, maybe not.

Mr. Uno-  
The game isn't quite over  
-Refusing to give up

Happy Belated Birthday Wanda  
You're the greatest!  
-B.

Gwendalyn-  
To the Art History Brown Noser. It's much easier to sleep with her.  
-Cat

To my wonderful weasel-  
If I find out you looked, you'll never live it down.  
-Your adorable little luv muffin

Jan-  
To I.D., The tie dye jumper, and a great friendship.  
Thanx love Cat

M-  
Find new horizons. Better talents women lie ahead. Your talents needn't be wasted!  
-one who cares

Sex Kitten-  
Enough with the arm forces, what about us at U.B.  
-Cat

To all my friends-  
I'm always here for hugs and advice. rm 401 is always open for you guys!  
-Love Stephanie

NE-  
Reveal yourself soon!!!  
-The Concerned

Jen-  
Heres to non-violent drinking.  
-Cat

Rachel-  
He Kissed Me... I think...  
-KTBRA

Rachel-  
This is my last and final offer Four Times, Bathroom, The House.  
-Sandy

My Egyptian Queen-  
I love you just because...you bring me joy!  
-King of the Cabaret

Dear Shannon F.  
Enough of the nonverbal communication. Let's get down verbalising something!!  
S-----

To the one who cares-  
Let me tell you my talents are definitely not being wasted. They are just not being wasted on you. You had your chance and you will be kicking yourself when you are old and driving around in a 65 VW Bug, when you could have had a Jaguar.  
-M

Kelly-  
Is there one personal for me?  
-Ben

Jen-  
How about me?  
Ben

Oh Lauren-  
Where did you get those eyes?

Carole-  
Didn't I hear that a cat can stretch?  
-SK2

Short one-  
Alleluiah! Praise God-for he is good!

M.L.G-  
You know me, just wanted to say Hi.. Call and say Hi back.  
-You guessed it.

Lori-  
I said you will drive me to the ends of the earth!  
-Nuts

Gina G.-  
So much for good friends, eh?  
-Help!

Rusty-  
Ooh what I heard! someone's been telling tails.  
-Another Innocent face

Saranda-  
Who is it Frank? Kevin? What about Bridgeport Men?

M.-  
You know you are really a Democrat and love Mike Dukakis I had a great time, let's do it again!  
-Guess who?

Gwen-  
Hi.  
-Ben

Ben-  
You can say more than that.  
Ha.Ha.-Cat

To Jan-  
Its sprinkles or is it jimmies?  
-Ben

OPA Pledges-  
Good Luck!! Hve Fun. It's almost over!!  
-Love, PM-LCR

PHB-  
Want some oysters? Toast? Eggs! I love you.  
-PHM

OPA Sisters-  
We Never Fight, Right!

Dear Sara-  
In God We Trust  
-Tim S

Jennifer-  
Who is it going to be tonight?  
-The Freshman Maybe!

T.C.-  
What's the square root of 69?  
Classic one, I feel quite stupid.  
-SB

Dand-  
Remember: We just ran out of Gas, and got kicked of Austin St. All in the same night!  
-Love, SB

Hasina-  
Yah! I saw him in Glory Days and blew him off. I'm definately tense now!  
-SB

Jenn-  
Thanx for the open road! (hint - our track walk)  
-Teege

Crabby-  
I laugh at the letter "D" Where's that cable?  
-Gant

Special K-  
Ice, Ice baby!

Roomie-  
How about breakfast?  
-The Woman Upstairs

Cosmo-  
"You got a love bite on your neck"  
-Loretta

Ice B....-  
How's your screen door?  
-someone who wouldn't know about them.

Queen Diss-  
Ain't life grand when you can just walk away?!  
-someone who wishes they knew the feeling

Chuck-  
There goes that short term memory again!  
-Jaws

Julie B-  
Go Get them!  
-Ben

J.J. the W...-  
I guess my two weeks are up. What do you think?!  
-Definitely Stunad

2 of 3 you're obnoxious  
-number one

Matt-  
What are you doing later???  
-a concerned student

Rick-  
What the hell - it's 3 in the morning! I don't care if your roommate won't let you in!  
-Chaffee 2

Dave-  
Did we really?  
-a friend

Joe-  
Do anything fun in the closet on the 27th during the fire drill?  
-Seeley Hall

Alexandria-  
It takes two to make a thing go right?  
-Cat

Mike-  
Wake up and go to class.  
-The 4th floor

Geek-  
Give up on Chris!!!

Dear Kim-  
You don't know me but I would like to get to know you.  
-R.

Joe-  
So you finally came out of the Closet!  
-UB Alternate Lifestyles

Jennifer-  
You're ugly and your mother dresses you funny!  
-Love SB

Hasina-  
Why aren't you answering your door??? OH!!  
-SB

Dana-  
Slam the door again, I love getting woken up out of a sound sleep.  
-Love your fav neighbor

Hello Jennifer  
Hello Jennifer  
Hello Jennifer

Sumo-  
Stop! Your too Good!  
-Love Spoiled

Dana-  
Pick up that cig. there is two good puffs left.  
-Stini

Audie-  
Will you marry me?  
-Love Puddin

Hey Kellie Smith-  
Am I a friend or a good friend?  
-Love a good friend

Smeage-  
What's a 69?  
-Love you know who

OPA Pledges-  
Hang in there!  
-Love one of you big sis

D-  
Are your standards up yet

Hey Slob-  
Did you Have a nice trip???  
-Love Psycho

Saranda-  
I want to make an apt...but I don't have an amex card.

Dana-  
I am going to miss you! And your not going to get rid of me that easy.  
-Love your roomie

To our Babes in Chaffee 3-  
The lonely one Cooper 4 - we love ya!  
-The Women

To the oe sisters-  
You guys are GOD

GB-  
I will marry you.\*  
-RL

LF-  
I need you.  
-Love ?

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